Under the Scheme of vocational training for women, in the last 3 years and upto date, 2305 women were trained in 122 courses.

In respect of other Schemes, information, is being collected and will be placed on the table of the House, as also concerning the number of women wha have received jobs after training.

Construction of Youth Hostel in Andhra Pradesh

88. SHRl TALARI MANOHAR: Till the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a)[1] what is the number of Youth Hostels in the country at present and the places where they are located, State-wise;

(b) whether there is any proposal «o construct more Youth Hostels in Andhra Pradesh during 1989-90; and

(Q)' if so, what are the details thereof and the amount sanctioned for the purpose?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY WITH ADDITIONAL CHARGE OF THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (PROF. M. G. K. MENON): (a) A list of 27 Youth Hostels functioning/completed in the country is attached. (Sete below)

(b) and (c) One Youth Hostel had been established earlier in Secunderabad. In addition, four Youth Hostels have been allocated to Andhra Pradesh for the Seventh Plan.

An amount of Rs. 10.00 lakhs was released in March, 1987 for construction of the Youth Hostel at Tirupati which is in progress.

The construction of a Youth Hostel at Visakhapatnam has already been approved in principle, and funds are being released shortly to CPWD for its construction.

The State Government has been requested to furnish drawings and estimates for the Youth Hostel at Vijayawada.

As regards the construction of the fourth Youth Hostel in the State, information regarding the place where the Youth Hostel is to be set up is still awaited from the State Government.

List of Youth. Hostels as *referred in reply to para (a)* of Rajya Sabha *Unstarred question No.* 88 *for* 13-3-1990

S. N.	Name of Youth Hostel	State s/U.T.
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3	Darjeeling ...	West Bengal
5	Mysore.....	Karnataka

S. N.	Name of Youth Hostel	States/U.T.
14	Panchkula.....	. Haryana

***Setting* up of Central Mahila Technical University**

89. SHRI TALARI MANOHAR: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) what is the number of Mahila Universities recognised by the University Grants Commission;

(b)' whether there is any proposal under Government's consideration to open Central Mahila Technical University in the country; and

(o) if so, the details there os

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY WITH ADDITIONAL CHARGE OF THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (PROF. M. G. K. MENON): *(a)* There are at present there Women's Universities in the Country which have been established under the Acts of State Legislatures, and are recognised by the University Grants Commission. Further, there are two women's institutions deemed to be universities in terms of Section (3) of the University Grants Commission Act,